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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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**STATUS INQUIRY** dated May 4, 2005 (1 page)

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The attorney's record in above identified application discloses that no communication has been received in the above captioned matter since the "NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF APPLICATION" mailed on January 7, 2005.

Applicants respectfully request that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office indicates the status of the application in order to preclude any question of abandonment from arising.

Respectfully submitted,  
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